

Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities
(Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days¹)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 2000, through January 6, 2001, has been 29 percent cooler than last year and 13 percent cooler than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/00 thru 01/06/01	Previous 07/01/99 thru 01/06/00	Normal 07/01 thru 01/06	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	2,150	1,663	1,907	29	13
Cities					
Albuquerque	2,091	1,739	2,011	20	4
Amarillo	2,179	1,693	1,874	29	16
Asheville	2,159	1,575	1,853	37	17
Atlanta	1,577	1,004	1,295	57	22
Billings	3,441	2,446	3,173	41	8
Boise	2,735	2,196	2,657	25	3
Boston	2,425	1,915	2,176	27	11
Buffalo	2,980	2,384	2,672	25	12
Cheyenne	3,369	2,736	3,165	23	6
Chicago	3,016	2,328	2,695	30	12
Cincinnati	2,573	1,928	2,193	33	17
Cleveland	2,814	2,146	2,460	31	14
Columbia, SC	1,533	1,038	1,153	48	33
Denver	2,930	2,234	2,623	31	12
Des Moines	3,151	2,303	2,766	37	14
Detroit	2,883	2,294	2,682	26	7
Fargo	4,264	3,397	4,019	26	6
Hartford	2,791	2,167	2,532	29	10
Houston	987	583	672	69	47
Jacksonville	886	520	590	70	50
Kansas City	2,764	1,811	2,305	53	20
Las Vegas	1,063	794	1,090	34	-2
Los Angeles	466	385	497	21	-6
Memphis	1,752	1,040	1,331	68	32
Miami	103	26	60	***	***
Milwaukee	3,088	2,415	2,972	28	4
Minneapolis	3,575	2,784	3,433	28	4
Montgomery	1,365	891	971	53	41
New York	2,038	1,517	1,886	34	8
Oklahoma City	2,055	1,191	1,585	73	30
Omaha	3,034	2,282	2,742	33	11
Philadelphia	2,169	1,601	1,980	35	10
Phoenix	516	431	574	20	-10
Pittsburgh	2,805	2,121	2,462	32	14
Portland, ME	2,976	2,607	2,993	14	-1
Providence	2,488	1,980	2,303	26	8
Raleigh	1,846	1,292	1,462	43	26
Richmond	2,016	1,431	1,662	41	21
St. Louis	2,518	1,618	1,999	56	26
Salem, OR	2,092	1,773	2,136	18	-2
Salt Lake City	2,776	2,247	2,529	24	10
San Francisco	1,187	1,058	1,266	12	-6
Seattle	2,151	2,014	2,164	7	-1
Shreveport	1,405	829	982	69	43
Washington, DC	2,019	1,425	1,637	42	23

¹See Glossary.

*** = Normal heating degree-days or less, or ratio incalculable.

Note:• The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2000) was 4,062 and the normal is 4,575. • A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.